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March 21, 2011

TO: Each Supervisor

FROM:  Donald H. Blevins
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SUBJECT: DEATH OF A MINOR

This is to advise your Board of the death of 14-year-old juvenile probationer, Alejandro A. on March 17, 2011. The following is the Probation record and sustained charges for Alejandro A.:

- Age 13 – Petition Date 10/14/09 – 487 Penal Code (Grand Theft) – Ordered Home on Probation
- Age 13 – 3/16/10 – Bench Warrant Issued (Held)
- Age 13 – Petition Date 6/2/10 – 664/459 Penal Code (Attempted Burglary) – Continued to 2/17/11 Court Date
- Age 13 – Petition Date 6/21/10 – 10851 Vehicle Code (Driving without Owner's Consent) – Continued to 2/17/11 Court Date
- Age 13 – 8/18/10 – Bench Warrant Issued
- Age 14 – Petition Date 10/14/10 – 594 Penal Code (Vandalism) – Continued to 2/17/11 Court Date
- Age 14 – 1/27/11 – Bench Warrant Issued
- Age 14 – 2/17/11 – Home on Probation Terminated, Suitable Placement Ordered
- Age 14 – 3/2/11 – AWOL'd from Group Home
- Age 14 – 3/3/11 – Bench Warrant Issued

Probation received notification regarding minor's death from the Coroner's Office on March 21, 2011. The initial Coroner's report indicated that on March 17, 2011, Alejandro A. was involved in a vehicle accident while riding on a mini bike. According to preliminary reports, Alejandro A. and another youth (probation minor Christopher S. for whom your board was previously notified) were allegedly shooting at a van, at which time both vehicles collided with one another. Death was pronounced on March 17, 2011, at 1604 hours. This matter is under review. We will inform your Board of any significant findings.

DHB:dm:hw

c: William T Fujioka, Chief Executive Officer
Honorable Michael Nash, Presiding Judge of the Juvenile Court
Andrea Sheridan Ordin, County Counsel
Brence Culp, Chief Deputy
Jackie White, Deputy Chief Executive Officer
Justice Deputies

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